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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed June 19, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

(NOTE CAREFULLY: On Friday, September 19, 2003, the Patent Office was closed on account of weather. Therefore, filing on Monday, September 22 is timely and does not require an extension of time.)

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.